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FM USMISSION GENEVA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8530
AMEMBASSY SEOUL IMMEDIATE
INFO AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR PRIORITY
AMCONSUL HONG KONG

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SREF, UNHCR, VM
SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE BOAT REFUGEES IN KOREA

REF: A. STATE 98218; B.SEOUL 2832;C.GENEVA 3114;D.STATE
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1. MISSION HAS COMMUNICATED MESSAGE PARA 2, REF A, TO
DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES, EXPRESSING SERIOUS
CONCERN THAT DESPITE ASSURANCES REPORTED REF C THEIR
REPRESENTATIVE IN KOREA ASSERTS HE HAS STILL RECEIVED NO
SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS ON SUBJECT OF SAMDOHO REFUGEES FROM
UNHCR HEADQUARTERS. IN THIS CONNECTION, UNDP REP'S
STATEMENTS REPORTED PARA 3, REF B TRANSMITTED TO DEPUTY
HIGHCOMM.

2. DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER RESPONDING SAID THAT UNHCR
FULLY RECOGNIZED POINTS MADE PARA 2, REF A AND THAT HE
WOULD SEE TO IT THAT UNDP REP SEOUL WAS CORRECTLY IN-
STRUCTED ONCE MORE. HE OFFERED NO EXPLANATION CONCERNING
CLEAR CONTRADICTION BETWEEN UNDP REP'S STATEMENT HE HAD
NOT BEEN PRECISELY INSTRUCTED AND ASSURANCES WE RECEIVED
HERE AT END OF FEBRUARY AND BEFORE THAT HE HAD BEEN.

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3. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY SEOUL'S FOLLOW-UP IN DAY OR
TWO TO CONFIRM WHETHER HE HAS ACTUALLY RECEIVED APPRO-
PRIATE INSTRUCTIONS FROM UNHCR.
VANDEN HEUVEL

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